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**EXAMINER:**

**FOR: HUMAN CYCLOOXYGENASE-2 CDNA AND ASSAYS FOR  
EVALUATING CYCLOOXYGENASE-2 ACTIVITY**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In the present Request for Reissue, kindly amend the above-identified patent  
as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please add new claims 22 to 27 as follows:

22. Human cyclooxygenase-2 cDNA according to claim 16  
comprising the coding region which is bases 97 to 1909 of Fig. 2 (SEQ. ID. NO. 11:).

23. Recombinant human cyclooxygenase-2 which is shown in Fig. 1  
(SEQ. ID. NO. 10:).

24. Isolated human cyclooxygenase-2 which is shown in Fig. 1  
(SEQ. ID. NO. 10:).

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